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Get After Gophers NOW'S THE TIME!

Arrangements have been made by the Council of Mountain View Municipality with Chambers' Drug store, Didsbury, the drug stores and U.F.A. store at Olds and the Mayton store, to supply one package of gopher poison or strychnine FREE with every package of the same purchased from the stores by the farmers living in the said municipality.

A. BRUSSO,
Sec.-Treas. Mountain View Municipality.
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J. C. STEVENS, phone 67

Fire Destroys Fine Little Business Block

Liesemer's Hardware and Berscht's Gents'
Furnishing Stores Totally Destroyed.

This week commenced with another big sensation when fire broke out in the basement of Mr. W. G. Liesemer's fine hardware store at about ten o'clock on Monday morning, and before very many minutes had passed had leaped over the fire wall and ignited the roof over J. V. Berscht's gents' furnishing store, completely demolishing this splendid little block in about two hours and a half.

In a very few seconds after the fire broke out in the basement the dense smoke caused by burning oil and other inflammable matter in the basement was pouring out in heavy volumes, in fact it was impossible for any person to get near enough to the actual fire after one attempt had been made to control it with hand extinguishers and although the chemical fire engines were on the scene a minute or two after the alarm very little could be done to extinguish it. Hundreds of willing hands then turned to and assisted in getting what stock they could out of the store to safety before the floor gave way and while quite a lot was saved a very great deal of the large stock which Mr. Liesemer carried was destroyed. The explosions of ammunition in the store when the fire broke through the floor must have sounded like some small battle during the war to some of the veterans who were assisting—it was a continual pit-pat and the small but louder explosions of other cans of liquid added still further to the gaiety of nations.

With a roar the immense flame finally broke through the roof of the hardware store and shot into the air at a great height, and while the fire fighters with the chemicals had been on the roof of Mr. Berscht's store trying their best to save that building it was found impossible to do any more on account of the great heat and the draught drawing the flames down to the roof. When it was seen that the store could not be saved because of the burning roof the same big crowd turned to and almost completely emptied the store of the large stock of boots, shoes and gents' furnishings in a jiffy—it was good work.

This block was built of solid brick as are those surrounding it which was the means of saving the town from another disastrous conflagration similar to 1914 when almost three blocks were destroyed in a very few hours, the solid blocks being all frame.

The stores of Mr. Liesemer and Mr. Berscht had the reputation amongst the travelling public of being two of the very best to be found in the smaller towns in the whole province.

The loss is largely covered by insurance but will not be definitely known until the adjusters are through but it is estimated at about \$50,000 on the two places.

Mr. Liesemer has ordered on one or two carloads of stock from Calgary and will carry on for

a time in the store in the same block on the south corner so that his many patrons will not be delayed in getting hardware supplies during this busy season.

Mr. Berscht has housed his heavy stock in the store formerly occupied by the post office, opposite the Rosebud hotel, and no doubt be in a position to conduct his business again in a few days.

A second alarm was rung in shortly after 12 o'clock when it was found that the verandah roof of the fine little bungalow of Mrs. L. Snyder, a block away from the big fire, had caught from flying embers but only a few shingles were destroyed.

An anxious time was spent by Stevens Bros. whose auto supply and repair shops are very close but through heroic efforts the building was saved, this is also built of solid brick and tile but the roof was the danger point. The storekeepers in the big Leuzler block and Mrs. Harmer, manager of the Rosebud hotel soon had a large force on top of their buildings to save the roofs and consequently no damage was done to them. A gentle wind was blowing from the south-east which caused a good deal of worry to the occupants of stores and buildings on Oiler Street.

FIRE NOTES

If you notice any grey hairs in the Mayor's head since last Monday morning there's good reason. The falling of a heavy steel beam with big plate glass windows on to a cement sidewalk while your back was turned would give you grey hairs too.

Whoever is fire chief now should make a regular thorough examination of the chemicals every once in a while. The boys who were handling one machine found it in very bad condition and almost broke their hearts in the hurry of trying to get it to work properly.

It is reported that some petty thieving was done from the big piles of stock after it had been moved out of the stores while the fire was at its worst and before several special constables had been sworn in. If these vandals could be caught a severe example should be made of them.

DIDSBURY SCHOOLS WIN CUP

At the big school track and field meet held in Olds last Friday the Didsbury schools more than held their own when they won the big cup by 145 points against Olds 138; Carstairs 71 to Innisfail 41. Innisfail won the basketball championship. Innisfail beat Olds and Didsbury beat Carstairs but the Didsbury team had to have a rest and it was found that so many events had to be run off that the Didsbury-Innisfail match could not be held, consequently Didsbury defaulted and Innisfail was declared champions.

Evans topped all comers in the pole vault by jumping 9 feet 3 in. In the boxing competitions Rood won in the 125 lb class; E. Evans won out in the 80 to 90 lb class. O. Geiger was a contestant in the 137 lb. class but was outpointed by his opponent.

The local schools should be extremely proud of the fine showing made by their athletes. animal is sired by registered stock.

ANNOUNCEMENT

This is to inform the general public that owing to our recent fire we have made our new temporary quarters in the brick corner building formerly occupied by J. R. Shaw as a general store, next door south of the Imperial Restaurant. We expect our new stock to arrive in a few days when we will try and take care of our customers wants in our usual manner.

Thanking the general public for your hearty support in the past and hoping for the continuation of same.

W. G. Liesemer.

"THE THUNDERING HERD"

"The Thundering Herd," which shows at the Opera House on Wednesday, May 13th, is a challenge to the showmanship of exhibitors. Here is a vital, absorbing Zane Grey story—a glorification of another important and impressive phase in the making of America, along lines of "The Covered Wagon" and "North of 36."

Here is an epic photoplay that offers exhibitors an opportunity of drawing to their theatres those elements in their communities who ordinarily do not patronize the movies.

Preachers, teachers, patriotic societies, women associations, boy scout organizations—one and all will hail, endorse and approve this mighty Paramount picture.

To this group, exhibitors should point out the educational features and historical significance of the film; to the regular film fans—the fact that it is a photoplay chock-full of action, drama, power and love.

Mr. J. Kubenkamp of St. Paul, Minn., was visiting with his sister, Mrs. E. E. Braun.

Continuous show in the Opera House on Saturday nights from 7.30 to 11.

FORMED BASEBALL LEAGUE

A meeting of the Rosebud Baseball League was held at Carstairs a few days ago. Delegates from Innisfail, Olds, Carstairs, Crossfield and Airdre were present but Didsbury was not represented.

The officers elected for this season were Hon. Pres. Mayor L. L. Hartman of Olds; President, R. W. McFarlane, Crossfield; Vice-President, Charlie Hillebrecht, Olds; Sec.-Treas. Harper Miller, Carstairs; two delegates from each town will form the executive.

A six team schedule will be drawn and the league expects to play the first game on May 14th.

All players must be registered with the A. A. B. A. secretary and hold amateur cards, and also be registered with the league secretary before they are eligible to play.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

Mrs. Peterson wishes to announce that she has removed her millinery stand to Freeman and Austin's old stand, where she invites old friends and new to inspect her stock.

There will be a reduction of 20 per cent. on all trimmed and ready to wear hats in the coming week beginning Friday and Saturday of this week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to tender our sincere thanks to all who in any manner contributed to the safety of our property in the course of the unfortunate fire in the premises of Mr. W. G. Liesemer and Mr. J. V. Berscht.

We regret sincerely their misfortune and can only thank those who by their willing efforts prevented our premises being added to the list of losses.

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Carstairs Branch—J. W. Gillman, Manager

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A FULL LINE OF HIGH GRADE TIRES ALWAYS IN STOCK.

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A Romance of the Spanish Main CAPTAIN BLOOD RAFAEL SABATINI

Copyrighted, 1922, by Rafael Sabatini
"CAPTAIN BLOOD," a Vitaphone picture with J. Warren Kerrigan
in the title role, is an adaptation of this thrilling novel.

CHAPTER XVIII.—Continued

"Nor will that serve you," Ogle warned him, still more fiercely. "The men are of my thinking, and they'll have their way."

"You come to give advice, then, do you?" quoth Blood, relenting nothing of his sternness.

"That's it, Captain; advice. That girl, there," He flung out a bare arm to point to her. "Bishop's girl; the Governor of Jamaica's niece . . . We want her as a hostage for our safety."

"Aye!" roared in chorus the buccaners below.

"It's a providence having her aboard; a providence. Heave to, Captain, and signal them to send a boat, and assure themselves that Miss is here. Then let them know that if they attempt to hinder our sailing hence, we'll hang the doxy first and fight for it after. That'll cool Colonel Bishop's heat, maybe."

"And maybe it won't." Slow and mocking came Wolverstone's voice to answer the other's confident excitement, and as he spoke he advanced to Blood's side, an unexpected ally. "If ye're counting on pulling Bishop's heartstrings, ye're a bigger fool, Ogle, than I've always thought you was. We've got to fight, my lads . . ."

"How can we fight, man?" Ogle stormed at him.

Then louder than before roared a gun away to leeward.

"They are within range," cried Ogle.

"Wait!" Blood bade him, interrupting, and he set a restraining hand upon the gunner's arm. "There is, I think, a better way. Mine is the safe and easy way. Put the helm down," he bade Pitt. "Heave her to, and signal to them to send a boat."

A silence of astonishment fell upon the ship—of astonishment and suspicion at this sudden yielding. Captain Blood turned and beckoned Lord Julian forward. Briefly and clearly he announced to all the object of Lord Julian's voyage to the Caribbean, and he informed them of the offer which yesterday Lord Julian had made to him.

"That offer I rejected. But now, outstalled, and likely to be outfought, as Ogle has said, I am ready to take the way of Morgan; to accept the King's commission and shelter us all behind it."

The main body of them welcomed the announcement as only men who have been preparing to die can welcome a new lease of life.

"No man need follow me into the King's service who is reluctant," Blood went on. "That is not in the bargain. What is in the bargain is that I accept this service with such of you as may choose to follow me. And even

those of you who do not choose to follow me shall share the immunity of all, and shall afterwards be free to depart. Those are the terms upon which I sell myself to the King. Let Lord Julian, the representative of the Secretary of State, say whether he agrees to them."

Prompt, eager and clear came his lordship's agreement. Meanwhile the boatman signalled to the Jamaica ships to send a boat, and the men in the waist broke their ranks and went noisily flocking to line the bulwarks and view the great stately vessels that were racing down toward them. As Ogle left the quarter-deck, Blood turned



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ed, and came face to face with Miss Bishop. She set a hand lightly upon his arm.

"You have chosen wisely, sir," she commended him, "however much against your inclinations."

"I owed it to you—or thought I did," he said.

"Your resolve delivered me from a horrible danger," she admitted. "But I do not understand why you should have hesitated when first it was proposed to you. It is an honorable service."

"King James's?" he sneered.

"England's," she corrected him in reproof. "The country is all, sir; the sovereign naught. King James will pass; others will come and pass; England remains to be honorably served by her sons, whatever rancour they may hold against the man who rules her in their time."

"Shrewd advocacy," he approved it. "You should have spoken to the crew. Do you suppose now that this honorable service might redeem one who was a pirate and a thief?"

"If he . . . needs redeeming. Perhaps . . . he has been judged too harshly."

"Why . . . if ye think that," he said, considering her, an odd hunker in his glance, "life might have its uses, after all, and even the service of King James might become tolerable. If you will go below, and get your gear and your woman, you shall presently be sent aboard one of the ships of the fleet."

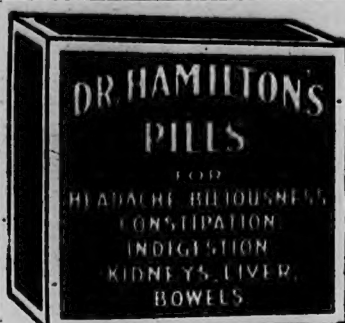
She left him, and thereafter, with Wolverstone, leaning upon the rail, he watched the approach of that boat, manned by a dozen sailors, and commanded by a scarlet figure seated stiffly in the stern sheets. The deputy proved to be an officer named Calverley.

His air, as he stepped into the waist of the Arabella, was haughty, truculent, and disdainful.

Blood, the King's commission now in his pocket, and Lord Julian standing beside him, waited to receive him, and Captain Calverley was a little taken aback at finding himself confronted by two men so very different outwardly from anything that he had expected.

"Good-day to you, sir," Blood hailed him pleasantly. "I have the honor to give you welcome aboard the Arabella. My name is Blood—Captain Blood, at your service. You may have heard of me."

"It's your surrender I require, my man, not your impudence," Calverley demanded. Captain Blood appeared surprised, pained. He turned in appeal to Lord Julian.



"D'ye hear that now? And did ye ever hear the like? But what did I tell ye? Ye see, the young gentleman's under a misapprehension entirely. Perhaps it'll save broken bones if your lordship explains just who and what I am."

"I have the honor to inform you, sir," he said stiffly, "that Captain Blood holds a commission in the King's service under the seal of my Lord Sunderland, His Majesty's Secretary of State."

"And who the devil may you be?" "You're not very civil, sir, as I have already noticed. My name is Wade—Lord Julian Wade. I am His Majesty's envoy to these barbarous parts, and my Lord Sunderland's near kinsman. Colonel Bishop has been notified of my coming."

"I . . . I believe that he has," said Calverley, between doubt and suspicion. "That is: that he has been notified of the coming of Lord Julian Wade. But . . . but

aboard this ship . . . ?" "If Captain Blood will show you his commission, perhaps that will set all doubts at rest," concluded his Lordship.

Captain Blood thrust a parchment under Calverley's bulging eyes.

"I must return to Colonel Bishop for my orders," he informed them.

At that moment a lane was opened in the ranks of the men, and through this came Miss Bishop, followed by her octroon woman. Over his shoulder, Captain Blood observed her approach.

"Perhaps, since Colonel Bishop is with you, you will convey his niece to him. Miss Bishop was aboard the Royal Mary, and I rescued her together with his lordship. She will be able to acquaint her uncle with the details of that and of the present state of affairs."

"As for me," said Lord Julian with intent to make Miss Bishop's departure free from all interference on the part of the buccaners "I shall remain aboard the Arabella until we reach Port Royal. My compliments to Colonel Bishop. Say that I look forward to making his acquaintance there."

CHAPTER XIX.

Hostilities

In the great harbor of Port Royal the Arabella rode at anchor. Almost she had the air of a prisoner for a quarter of a mile ahead to starboard, rose the lofty, massive single round tower of the fort, whilst a couple of cables' length astern, and to larboard, rode the six men-of-war that composed the Jamaica squadron.

On a cany day-bed that had been set for him on the quarterdeck, sheltered from the dazzling, blistering sunshine by an improvised awning of brown calico, lounged Peter Blood. (To be continued)

Hubby (rushing in at the sound of screams): "Whatever is the matter, darling?" Wife: "There's a horrid caterpillar in this lettuce. Oh, Herbert, supposing I had been in the house alone!"



Disappointed To Find He Was An Ex-Premier

Sir Robert Borden Was Sadly Disillusioned in His Own Home Riding of Halifax

Having represented the city of Halifax in the Commons for many years, Sir Robert Borden for a time believed he was no stranger to the good people of the eastern gateway to the Dominion. He was sadly undeceived, however, shortly after he laid down the onerous duties of premier, according to the Toronto Star Weekly.

Included among the large number who pressed forward to meet him at an informal reception in Halifax was a middle-aged lady well known for her interest in child welfare.

After the manner of so many other one-idea enthusiasts, this lady imagined everybody else must necessarily be particularly interested in her particular field, and when she got the chance to talk to the guest of honor launched forth into her favorite topic.

Sir Robert was bored, but did his best to simulate a polite interest, though listening with only half an ear.

Suddenly he became all attention when he realized the lady was thanking him profusely for what he had done to make the lives of little babes healthier and happier. He was particularly puzzled when he heard himself referred to as "the greatest benefactor of future generations this country has ever known."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier would have carried off such a situation with graceful ease. Hon. Arthur Meighen would have looked wise and maintained a discreet silence. Premier Mackenzie King would have tactfully changed the conversation.

But however great may have been his ability in other lines, Sir Robert Borden never was a nimble-witted politician.

Try as he would, the ex-premier could not recall any child legislation of his that deserved such extravagant praise, and said something to this effect to his fulsome admirer.

"Legislation? Legislation?" said the lady, with a look of extreme surprise. "What has legislation to do with your business?"

"As member of parliament and former premier, I am naturally supposed to have something to do with legislation," explained Sir Robert, his brows compressed in perplexity.

The lady gasped with dismay, then said: "Oh! Are you a member of parliament?" I am so disappointed! I thought you were the man who condenses milk for babies!"

Denver Man Wants Western Canada Land

Looking For Tract of From 50,000 to 200,000 Acres

A tract of land from 50,000 to 200,000 acres is required by George Ollinger, of Denver, who stipulates that it must be adaptable to the production of wheat, have plenty of water easily accessible, and bear a reasonable quantity of good timber.

He stated in a letter to the Regina board of trade that he understands such tracts of lands exist in the Northwest and that the government is ready to dispose of them at a low price with reasonable terms. He was referred to the proper quarters.

London Secures Most Meat From Argentina

224,866 Tons Distributed Through Central Market Last Year

Argentina in 1924 again led the world in supplying London with meat. Statistics just issued show that 224,866 tons of Argentina meat were distributed through the central market at Smithfield, as compared with 104,843 from the British Isles; 90,972 from Australia and New Zealand; 8,961 from Canada and the United States; and 50,887 from other countries. The report shows that London's meat bill for the year was £36,500,000.

Alberta's Population

Alberta's population at the end of 1924 was approximately 640,000, according to an estimate by the provincial government. This is an increase of 52,000 as compared with 1921, when the last official census was taken. It is also estimated that some 60 per cent. of the province's population is of British origin.

Fills the Bill

"I've been trying to think of a word for two weeks."

"Well, there's fortnight."

A New Soup

When making vegetable Soup add two teaspoonfuls of Bovril per quart—it gives body and flavor and adds to the nourishment.

BOVRIL

Sold only in bottles.

New York's School De Luxe

Canadian Teacher Will Be Principal Of \$3,000,000 Building

Hector Charlesworth, writing in Toronto Saturday Night on what he saw in New York, says: The scale of municipal spending is enormous. One day I went into the wilds of Harlem to see what is regarded as the "last word" in public schools the world over, just on the point of completion. Now Harlem today in appearance is a greatly enlarged edition of what the Bowery was 30 years ago; but this school edition on the bank of the East River, overlooking Hell Gate, is a marvel. It has 2,000 pupils, all of tender years, with room for nearly a thousand more; restaurants, rest rooms, several vast gymnasiums, an eye and ear hospital, a dental clinic, hundreds of shower baths, everything that the most fully equipped modern athletic club could boast, and most countless other things besides. It is interesting to note that the principal selected for this public school de luxe is a Canadian lady, Miss Claire Kleiser, who served her apprenticeship under James L. Hughes in Toronto. The cost will reach \$3,000,000 when everything is in order. In all the vast array of dark-eyed little ones there was hardly one of English-speaking parents; or whose parents were born in America. That is what is being done for the proletariat of Europe in New York; but whether the proletariat is grateful it is hard to discover.

NEW HEALTH FOR SUFFERING WOMEN

Aching Backs and Tired Limbs Need Not be Endured

Too many women endure suffering that casts a shadow over half her existence. An aching back, tired limbs, attacks of faintness, splitting headaches need not be a part of woman's life. Such trials indicate plainly that the blood is thin and watery and that the sufferer needs the help of a real tonic such as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Suffering women who have used this medicine speak of it in the highest terms. Among those who have been thus helped is Mrs. Ada L. Harman, Virden, Man., who writes: "Following the birth of a still-born child a few years ago, I had a very serious time. I was so weak for months that I could not walk across the room without a feeling of faintness. I had scarcely strength enough to stand up, and when dressing would have to sit down two or three times. My face and lips were colorless, I had no appetite, and life did not seem worth living. A friend urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I got six boxes. Before they were all gone I felt improved. My appetite was returning, and I was visibly stronger. I continued taking the pills and fully regained my former good health. I consider Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a blessing to weak women, and hope my experience will induce some other sufferer to try them."

You can get these pills from any medicine dealer, or by mail at 50 cents a box direct from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Seeks Ore in B.C.

With the hope of finding zinc, lead and copper available in good quantities in British Columbia for export to Dutch smelting plants, Roger R. Brunschwig, of Amsterdam, director of the N. V. Erts Mineral Company, is on his way to the coast. He has just returned from making contracts with South American miners and hopes to get the balance of his requirements in British Columbia.

Antiseptic Soothing Healing

Gives quick relief for sprains, bruises, rheumatism and inflammation.



PAINS IN LEFT SIDE AND BACK

Other Troubles Women Often Have Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Lachine, Quebec.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because I suffered with pains in my left side and back, and with weakness and other troubles women so often have. I was this way about six months. I saw the Vegetable Compound advertised in the 'Montreal Standard' and I have taken four bottles of it. I was a very sick woman and I feel so much better I would not be without it. I also use Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash. I recommend the medicines to my friends and I am willing for you to use my letter as a testimonial."—Mrs. M. W. ROSE, 580 Notre Dame Street, Lachine, Quebec.

Doctor Said an Operation

Provost, Alberta.—"Perhaps you will remember sending me one of your books a year ago. I was in a bad condition and would suffer awful pains at times and could not do anything. The doctor said I could not have children unless I went under an operation. I read testimonials of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the papers and a friend recommended me to take it. After taking three bottles I became much better and now have a bonny baby girl four months old. I do my housework and help a little with the chores. I recommend the Vegetable Compound to my friends and am willing for you to use this testimonial letter."—Mrs. A. A. ADAMS, Box 54, Provost, Alberta. O

REV. J. E. BENDER PRESENTED WITH PURSE

About forty people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Liesemer on Wednesday night last for the purpose of saying farewell to Rev. and Mrs. Bender, who left to take over their new charge in Ontario on Monday.

Before the evening of festivities closed Mr. Bender was presented with a purse and the following address:

"The time has come when the people of this district must say farewell to their pastor. There is no need for me to say anything of the friendships you have formed here, or of the love you have won in the hearts of the people; the gathering here tonight is a better evidence of that than any words that I could express.

I assure you that the people of this place will always look back with pleasure on the period of your stay here. Before many days you will be surrounded by new faces, and you will be making new friends. But we hope that you will sometimes find time to look back and think about your little congregation here in Jutland and that these thoughts will bring back many pleasant memories to you.

We wish you and your family a pleasant and safe journey eastward. We feel sure that in your new home you will soon again be surrounded by many new and dear friends.

And now as a parting gift, I ask you to accept this purse as a small token of the love and respect in which you are held by the people of this district."

MOUNTAIN VIEW COMMUNITY ITEMS

The Mountain View W. I. held a very interesting meeting recently at the home of Mrs. Fulton. The meeting was opened by an Easter prayer, read by Mrs. Atkinson, followed by singing an Easter hymn. Roll call was answered by current events. A very good paper on Canadianization and National events was prepared and read by Miss Foster.

The business of the day was electing a delegate to the annual convention of the A. W. I. and planning the details of an afternoon tea and sale of aprons, fancy work, brooches and food to be held in the Mountain View Community Hall May 22nd. A dance will be held in the Hall the same evening.

Sunday school at 2.15 and church services at 3 o'clock every Sunday afternoon at M. V. C. H. Everybody welcome.

Mr. Earl Jackson is building a new barn.

Mr. Geo. Burns and boys spent the week end in Calgary.

Miss Hilda Morrison spent the week end visiting her friend Mrs. A. Dawson.

A dance will be held in the M. V. C. H. Friday May 8th, music to be furnished by Coburn, Sod. Twisters orchestra.

Max Archer visited at his home Saturday and Sunday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the kind sympathy and help given to us during our recent bereavement, and also to those who rendered the song service at the church and graveside.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Crowell.

NEWS OF THE DAIRY, LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY POOLS

Plans are going steadily forward for the province wide drive for memberships in the three new co-operative marketing pools now being organized for the handling of the dairy, livestock and poultry products. Meetings of the joint Board of the three pools are being held each week, to discuss plans for the coming campaign, which is to be held for three weeks between June 8th and 28th, after seeding operations are over, and the farmers will be able to give their attention to pool matters.

In connection with this drive for contracts in the pool, a series of meetings will be held throughout the province at which competent speakers will be on hand to discuss the merits of each pool. Canvassers for the drive have been named in all districts, and will be ready with contracts when the opening date arrives.

Contracts for all three pools continue to arrive steadily at the pool offices. The enthusiasm behind the movement appears to be growing throughout the province. The livestock pool has already reached about 18 per cent. of its objective, and the poultry pool has nearly 12 per cent. of its objective. The dairy pool is approaching the

600 mark in the number of contracts signed up to date.

The entire co-operative poultry marketing service of the provincial department of agriculture, which has been in operation for some years, will be taken over by the new provincial poultry pool when it comes into operation according to Mrs. F. E. Wyman, Secretary of the Poultry Producers pool.

The objective of the poultry pool is 1,600,000 dozen eggs a year, and contracts have already been signed covering the production of about 25,000 hens. This is only on the basis of the hens owned by the contract signers. By the time the pool is in operation, these contract signers already signed will bring many more producing birds into the pool.

The pool will be brought into operation just as soon as the directors feel that sufficient production is at hand, producers are advised to market their product through the provincial government marketing service, which has stations at Edmonton, Calgary and Lethbridge.

Wanted, For Sale Ads.

FOR SALE:—Shorthorn bull, rising 2 years. Apply E. O. Wait, Didsbury. 2p17

FOR SALE:—A young Shorthorn bull eligible for registration. One year old in May. Without papers \$35, with papers \$40. This animal is out of Lyons \$1,000 bull. Apply Wm. Pear or Pioneer Office. 3c17

FOR SALE:—Hatching eggs, from pedigree R. C. White Wyandottes, \$1.25 per setting. J. A. McGhee. 2p16

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NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named Daniel Sherick who died on the 23rd of December, 1924, are required to file with the undersigned by the 13th of June, 1925, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them and that after that date the Executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to their knowledge.

Dated this 28th day of April, 1925.
MacLeod, Robertson, Smith and Co., Solicitors for the Executors, Canada Life Building, Calgary.

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LOCAL MARKETS

NOTICE—This Local Market report is made up on Wednesday of each week of publication. The Didsbury Pioneer will not be held responsible for fluctuations in quotations but will endeavor to give them as correctly as possible each week.—THE EDITORS.

GRAIN

Wheat, No. 1 \$ 1.40
Wheat, No. 2 1.41
Wheat, No. 3 1.36
Wheat, No. 4 1.22
Oats, Ex. 1 Feed38
Barley, No. 368
Rye53
Hay, pland, ton 10.00

LIVESTOCK

Feeding steers, lb. 4 to 50
Fat cows 3 1/4 to 4 1/4
Fat steers 5 1/2 to 6 1/2
Heifers 3 to 50
Hogs 9 1/2 to
Fat ewes 70
Lambs 11 1/2 to

DRESSED MEATS

Beef 8c to 12c
Veal 8 1/2 to 14c
Pork 10c to 15c
Mutton 18c
Chickens, live 8c to 11c
Fat fowl 8c to 9c
Old hens 6c to 9c
Old roosters 7c
Dressed Turkeys 10c
Turkeys, live 10c
Hides 40

DAIRY PRODUCTS

Table cream, per lb. butterfat 30c
Special churning 30c
No. 1 28c
No. 2 25c
Butter, choice dairy 45c
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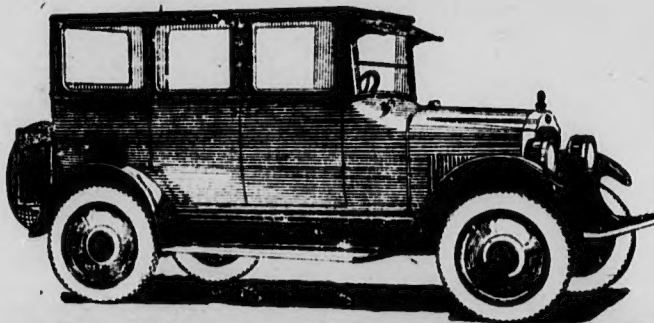
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World Conditions Steadily Improve

Announcement of the return of Great Britain to the gold standard on April 28 is the most significant event in world economics since the signing of the Armistice. Simultaneous with Great Britain identical action was taken by Australia and New Zealand, Holland and the Dutch East Indies. Canada is already on a gold standard basis and South Africa will revert to the gold standard on July 1.

The effects of this momentous decision was at once seen in the rise of the pound sterling on the New York market to the highest point in ten years and only less than four cents from full par value. Reversion to the gold standard means greater stability in trade and commerce the world over, which, from the standpoint of Canada, is of vital importance because the chief difficulty confronting the producers and manufacturers of this country since the close of the war has been the unstable, fluctuating and at times chaotic condition of European markets.

In making the announcement in his budget speech, Mr. Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, said: "We have entered on a period on both sides of the Atlantic when political and economic stability seems more assured than it has been for some years."

Return to the gold standard means an end to the enormous loss resulting from the adverse rate of exchange on the English pound sterling in the United States, Canada and other countries. It removes the uncertainty formerly existing in world money markets, and likewise removes what was a severe handicap on all international business.

Now that Canada is becoming more and more an exporting country, the importance of the action of the British Government can hardly be over-estimated. As already noted, the chief difficulty confronting the producers of Canada for some years past has been in the marketing of our products abroad, and every step taken to re-establish world confidence and stability in trade and commerce means an enormous gain to Canada.

Mr. Churchill also announced the re-imposition of the old preferences and the McKenna duties which were abrogated by the Ramsay MacDonald Government, and although this action does not affect food products, because Mr. Churchill remained faithful to Premier Baldwin's promise to abstain from any taxation of food, it will nevertheless prove beneficial to certain Canadian industries, as, for example, tobacco, sugar and automobiles.

Of particular interest to the whole British people is the reduction provided in the budget in the Income Tax, which is reduced by sixpence in the pound, thus lightening to that extent the handicap now imposed on British industry by the enormous weight of taxation which must be borne in order to meet the huge interest payments on the war debt and provide for its gradual liquidation. As in the case of the return to a gold standard, every step taken to reduce the burden of taxation and revive industry throughout the British Isles, thereby lessening unemployment and increasing the purchasing power of the people, means a larger and more stable market for Canadian products.

In a recent interview Sir John Aird, President and General Manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, stated that while basic financial conditions in both the United States and Canada were sound, the return of international prosperity was dependent on two things, the settlement of present European financial difficulties and the adoption by the world of a gold basis. "After these two things occur," said Sir John, "progress must be rapid."

With the entire English-speaking world on a gold basis a long step forward has been taken toward the realization of these two essentials to world-wide business development and prosperity.

Canadian Cheese

One-third of Cheese Imported by Britain Supplied by Canada

Canada supplied one-third of the cheese imported into Great Britain during the last three years. In that period, of 939,383,290 lbs. of cheese imported by Great Britain, Canada supplied 331,143,588 lbs. Canada's exports of cheese to the Mother Country are increasing yearly, although prices for the best Canadian cheese actually run from four to eight shillings per long hundredweight higher than for New Zealand cheese.

A dollar in the bank's worth two in the pocket.

Would Have Baron Byng Remain

Governor-General is Invited To Accept A Second Term of Office

It is understood on good authority that Baron Byng will be invited to serve a second term as governor-general of Canada. His five-year term expires in July, 1926, and it now appears very possible that he will remain for a further term. There has been much speculation as to who will succeed Baron Byng. Whether or not he will succeed himself now seems to be a matter for his own choice.

The white races of the world are outnumbered by the dark nations by two to one.

Arab Idea Not Original

Wearing Mourning As Mark of Disapproval Has Been Done Before

The Arabs who wear mourning to signify their disapproval of Lord Balfour's visit to Palestine have not hit on any very new idea. In England the same plan has been tried by civil servants. In 1897, on April 1, the recommendations of the Tweedmouth committee were brought into force in the post office. On the day the scheme became operative the men attended the various offices wearing black ties, and the women operators wore crepe bands.

Wheezy Chest Colds Subdued Over Night

Trained Nurse Tells How Colds Are Quickly Broken Up

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For nearly fifty years Nerviline has been a household article in thousands of Canadian homes. Get a 35c. bottle to-day.

Will March in U.S. Parade

A company of the Fifth Royal Black Watch Highlanders of Montreal will march in the Memorial Day parade of the American Legion at New York on May 30, the British Great War Veterans of America have announced. An official reception and entertainment has been arranged by the New York Veterans Association for the Canadian soldiers.

Marksmanship practice is obligatory on all Argentine male citizens between the ages of 18 and 45 and as a result that country has some of the best marksmen in the world.

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Mrs. Geo. E. Bowman, Morrisburg, Ont., writes:—"I am writing you a few lines to let you know of my experience with Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. Two years ago I became very poorly with my heart and nerves and whenever I took the least little bit of exercise my heart would start to jump and flutter. I could not walk upstairs without having to sit down and rest before I was half-way up, on account of my breath becoming so short. I commenced taking

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Alberta Oil Fields

Will Drill For Oil From International Boundary Line to Arctic Circle

Oil drilling in a field which stretches from Fort Norman on the rim of the Arctic Circle, to the Alberta-Montana border, is to be undertaken this year by the Imperial Oil Company in its exploitation of the Alberta and North West Territories field. A drilling party will start for Fort Norman, in the north, as soon as navigation opens this spring.

Prospective Trade Agreement

The Canada-British West Indies conference, with a view to arranging a new trade and transportation agreement between these countries, will take place in Ottawa on June 19th, according to an official announcement. Representatives of the Canadian Government, Bermuda, Leeward Islands, Windward Islands, Barbadoes, Trinidad, British Guiana, Jamaica and British Honduras, will be in attendance.

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French Will Construct

Huge Aeroplane Base

Machines Will Be Shot Into Air By Catapult System

A huge aeroplane base is to be constructed by the French Government at Cherbourg, sixty miles from the nearest point on the English coast and only 150 miles from London. It is being built with the idea that a European war cannot come within ten years, and it will have provisions to make it effective against inventions that may be developed during that time. Monster fighting machines carrying tons of gas bombs, which can kill off most of London's population within a few hours, will be housed underground, protected by steel embattlements that can resist any air attack. The difficulty of having a taking-off field to run aeroplanes up, will be obviated by arranging a catapult system by which machines will be shot into the air.

Gave Name to Douglas Fir

Tree Was Discovered in Oregon 100 Years Ago By David Douglas

One hundred years ago, April 7, 1825, David Douglas discovered Douglas Fir, the tree that bears his name. In 1825 Douglas was surveying the Oregon territory, now the state of Oregon, but at that time British territory, on behalf of the Royal Horticultural Society of England, and first came across samples of the famous tree that was to bear his name. Douglas was very much impressed at the time by the virtues of Douglas Fir and in his journal notations show that he measured specimens 48 feet in circumference and 227 feet high.

Miller's Worm Powders do not need the after help of castor oil or any purgative to complete their thoroughness, because they are thorough in themselves. One dose of them, and they will be found palatable by all children, will end the worm trouble by making the stomach and bowels untenable to the parasites. And not only this, but the powders will be certain to exert most beneficial influences in the digestive organs.

However the girl who looks good isn't necessarily good looking.

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The man after a woman's heart may not want it.

A Real Asthma Relief. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has never been advertised by extravagant statements. Its claims are conservative indeed, when judged by the benefits when you buy this remedy and you will not have cause for disappointment. It gives permanent relief in many cases where other so-called remedies have utterly failed.

St. Mawes, Eng., is known as the Mecca of the Methuselahs, one-fourth of the population being more than 70 years of age. One man is 100, living with his "boy" of 80.

Kept the Dollar

"At the house party I mistook a celebrated millionaire for the butler and tipped him a dollar. Afterward he had a good laugh over the affair." "A whimsical episode to be sure." "Yes, but he never handed back the dollar."

Hello Daddy—don't forget my Wrigleys

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Give the youngsters this wholesome, long-lasting, sweet-for-pleasure and benefit.

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Of the 100,000 private houses in Belgium destroyed during the war, 95,000 have been rebuilt. More than 1,200 miles of roadway have been restored.

His System Was Absolutely Cleared

So Says Ontario Youth After Taking Dodd's Kidney Pills

Mr. Edward Dupuis Suffered From Kidney Ailments and Found Relief In Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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So the British officers won't have to worry about keeping their spurs polished, the use of stainless steel has been approved by the British war office.

Corns cripple the feet and make walking a torture, yet sure relief in the shape of Holloway's Corn Remover is within reach of all.

Prisoners awaiting trial in French prisons are deprived of their bootlaces, collars and ties, in case they attempt to destroy themselves.



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SAYS CONDITIONS IN GLACE BAY ARE APPALLING

Ottawa.—"This particular crisis is the apex we have reached as a result of conditions which have existed for three and a half years," stated Rev. Dr. F. McAvoy, superintendent on general relief at Glace Bay, addressing members of the house on the situation among the striking miners and their families in the Cape Breton coal area. He did not intend to discuss the cause of the strike, but it should not be forgotten that miners with families had only been able to earn about \$37.50 per month for some periods.

Conditions in that district, stated Dr. McAvoy, were appalling. Hon. Mr. MacMillan, of Nova Scotia, he said, after visiting the home of one of the miners recently, had remarked that "his chicken coop was a more habitable place than that home." In Glace Bay alone, relief had been given to 6,185 families, representing 31,989 dependents. "If we had not stepped into the breach and given relief to keep these men satisfied," remarked Dr. McAvoy, "Canada would have one of the biggest problems on her hand, bigger than any she has today. I shudder to wonder what otherwise the result would have been." There were 4,500 returned men in Glace Bay, to whom "a bayonet is only a toy."

If relief had not been given, he would hate to think what might have taken place. These men naturally expected assistance in their crisis.

Peace River District Wants Western Outlet

Delegates From B.C. and Alberta Ask For Railway

Ottawa.—A deputation composed of Hon. John Oliver, premier of British Columbia; George Mills, M.L.A., Grande Prairie; W. T. Henry, M.L.A., Edmonton, and representatives of the boards of trade of Edmonton and Grande Prairie, waited upon Hon. G. P. Graham, minister of railways and canals, Hon. J. H. King, minister of public works, and Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of the interior. It was urged by the members of the delegation that a railway outlet be provided for the Peace River district and a preference was shown towards the opening up of this territory by the Canadian National Railway.

The people of the Peace River district in Alberta, it was pointed out, were desirous of an early outlet to the west. Premier Oliver supported the route to be chosen should assist in the development of British Columbia also. No indication of a decision in this matter was given as a result of the conference, and it is understood that a further meeting will be held.

Boy Scout Movement

Fine Tributes Paid to Work of the Organization

Toronto.—Many fine tributes to the work of the Boy Scouts and of the public spirited men who have helped the movement were expressed at the annual dinner of the officers of the Boy Scouts' Association. Dr. J. W. Robertson, Ottawa, chief commissioner for the Dominion, was highly complimentary to the workers, pointing out how the organization had its beginning, 15 years ago, and there were now 55,000 boys enlisted in the movement.

Study Unemployment

Montreal, Que.—The Women's Canadian Club of Montreal may undertake a course of studies on unemployment with some of their surplus for the year, \$2,000. The club has a waiting list of nearly 300, and the president, Mrs. Basil Williams, deplored the practice of keeping such a list, saying that it was not in accordance with the club's aims.

Action On Foch Report Delayed

Paris.—The Allied Council of Ambassadors referred to the various governments, represented in the council, the supplementary report of Marshal Foch, on Germany's violations of the Treaty of Versailles. Action on the document thus is postponed until the members of the council receive instructions from their chancelleries.

Charges Of Propaganda Denied By Lady Aberdeen

Toronto.—"The council members are in no way propagandists," Lady Aberdeen, president of the International Council of Women, said, referring to a dispatch from New York which said the club women's protective committee charged the council with presenting "only one side of the League of Nations question." "We approach all questions from broader lines," Lady Aberdeen said. "There are 38 countries represented, and they all have different views. The congress deals with what is brought before it."

Britain Assumes Waiting Policy

Officials Believe Germany Will Stand By Security Proposals

London.—With Field Marshal Von Hindenburg at the helm of the German ship of state and a new government in power in France, the British have fallen back on a policy of "wait and see" so far as the European security situation is concerned.

British officials presume that Germany will stand by her security proposals which, on this side of the channel at any rate, were adopted as the basis of negotiations for the building of a permanent peace in Europe.

They further presume that Hindenburg, upon assuming office, will confirm and continue the present German cabinet, which is the government that made the recent proposals accepted by Foreign Secretary Chamberlain as "honest and sincere."

Delegates Will Urge Routing To Nelson

Have Gone to Ottawa on Hudson Bay Question

Winnipeg.—To renew the claims of the prairie provinces for the necessity of providing for the completion of the Hudson's Bay Railway to Port Nelson, a delegation from the On-to-the-Bay Association has gone to Ottawa.

The western contingent will be joined by Premier John Bracken, Manitoba, who is in the east, while Alberta will be represented by one of the executive of the United Farmers of Alberta.

Acquitted But Still Guilty

Tribal Council Will Conduct Second Trial of California Indian

Ureka, Calif.—Although Chester Pepper, Klomath Indian, was acquitted of the charge of murdering Willie Harry, a tribesman, his Indian associates still look upon him as guilty.

In accordance with tribal custom, Pepper will be tried by a council of red men to determine his responsibility towards Harry's widow and two children. The Indians say the killing was a continuation of a family feud which has resulted in sixteen murders in the last thirty years.

Western Fishery Output

Ottawa.—The product of the commercial fisheries in the prairie provinces in 1924 had a total market value of \$2,054,162, apportioned as follows: Manitoba, \$1,232,563; Saskatchewan, \$482,492; and Alberta, \$339,107.

The value of the fishery production of the Yukon in 1924 was \$18,773.

Immigration Increased in March

Ottawa.—In March of this year immigration to Canada totalled 6,575, compared with 2,210 in February, an increase of 4,365. In the same month 2,731 Canadians who had been in the United States six months or longer returned to the Dominion.

Would Ban Orientals

Victoria.—A resolution urging the Federal Government to put a stop to immigration of Japanese and Chinese into Canada, was adopted at a mass meeting attended by 160 delegates of various organizations, held here under the auspices of the Sons of Canada.

Anti-Smuggling Board

Washington.—Creation of a permanent intelligence board in Washington, to help combat smuggling across the Canadian and Mexican borders and the United States coast line, has been proposed by the labor department.

To Visit Canada



CAPTAIN ALEXANDER RAMSAY

who will command the flagship Calcutta upon the occasion of the visit to Canadian waters in June of the eighth British cruiser squadron. Captain Ramsay is the husband of Princess Patricia, daughter of the Duke of Connaught.

Will Attempt Flight Paris To New York

French Aviators Plan to Start About July 20

Paris.—The long proposed flight from Paris to New York will be attempted about July 20, by Paul Tardieu and Francis Coll, both distinguished aviators, who were severely wounded in service during the war.

The fliers will attempt to win the \$25,000 prize offered in 1919 by Raymond Orteig for the first flight from Paris to New York and return.

They plan to fly by way of England, Ireland, Newfoundland and Nova Scotia in a hydro-airplane which is being built with a 500 horse-power motor made in France under German patents.

The flight is unofficial.

Say Cologne Area Must Be Evacuated

Question Must Be Settled Soon Declares German Chancellor

Berlin.—In order to bring about stable European conditions, the question of the evacuation of the Cologne area, by the Allies, must be settled, Dr. Hans Luther, the German chancellor, declared in a statement.

"For more than three months," he said, "we have waited in vain for the reasons held to justify the non-evacuation."

Death of Pioneer Railwayman

Winnipeg.—Daniel Christie, 86, pioneer railwayman, who was fireman on the "Countess of Dufferin," the first locomotive to reach Winnipeg, is dead. He was born at Couth Gower, Ontario, and came west in 1877.

Large Dairy Farm To Operate In Manitoba

Winnipeg.—The Manitoba Dairy Farms, Limited, financed by capitalists in St. Paul, Minn., at a cost of \$2,000,000, has started active operations on their 70,000-acre holdings in Southeastern Manitoba. Sixty men are now at work clearing the land and erecting buildings to house 25 families this spring. Several days ago the company unloaded 500 head of pure-bred Holstein cattle, purchased in Western Ontario. The ultimate intention is to locate 400 families in the district.

Says Canada Should Increase Her Navy

Hon. S. F. Tolmie Urges Preparation For War In Pacific

Ottawa.—Hon. Dr. S. F. Tolmie, Conservative, Victoria, referred to war-like preparations which were being made by Japanese and the United States on the Pacific, in the debate on the budget in the house. Japan, with the third largest navy in the world, was establishing naval stations at various points. The United States was also establishing posts on the Pacific and it was quite apparent that she was "not prepared to be lulled to sleep by any peace conference."

If the United States and Japan ever went to war, Canada must be in a position to maintain her neutrality. If one of these powers established a submarine base for instance, on the British Columbia coast, Canada would be in the position of a combatant. He advocated leaving plans for the defence of this country in the hands of experts. It was not necessary to do anything very extensive at once, but little by little, and year by year, this country should be prepared.

Austen Chamberlain Is Closely Guarded

Plot Against Life of British Foreign Secretary Discovered

London.—Additional guards have been assigned to protect Foreign Secretary Austen Chamberlain. It is reported a plot against his life has been discovered and the assignment of the extra guards is presumably in connection with the alleged plot.

The news came from official quarters but there was much reticence about discussing the nature of the supposed plot. It was intimated that some of the details were discovered outside of London.

Sells Part of Estate

London.—The Duke of Devonshire, former governor-general of Canada, has sold several portions of his large estate in East Surrey. He is also offering for sale, next month, the Benedictine Priory at Wilmington, which was founded in the reign of William Rufus. The priory lies between Lewes and Eastbourne.

IN DEFENCE OF GOVERNMENT'S FISCAL POLICY

Ottawa.—Hon. Ernest Lapointe, minister of justice, warmly defended the government's financial policy in a recent speech in the house. He sharply challenged Conservative charges of business failures as due to the tariff, and quoted Bradstreet in support of his argument. He claimed that taxation in Canada was lower than in the United States. Including federal, provincial, municipal and school taxes, the tax per capita in Canada he gave as \$63.51, against \$68.49 in the United States, \$99.36 in the United Kingdom, and \$69.22 in Australia.

The debt per capita in Canada, Mr. Lapointe continued, was \$442.46, including federal, provincial and municipal debt. In the United States, it was \$268.57 per capita, but in Canada the debt included the debt on government railways. Britain had a per capita debt of \$922.48; Australia of \$820.58. Canada's per capita debt was the least in the Empire.

Constitution Is Sacred Pact

Provinces Should Have Voice In Any Changes Says Senator Turgeon

Ottawa.—"I feel grieved at the lightness with which some of our people speak of the constitution," said Senator Turgeon in the senate when speaking of his resolution that there should be no change in the constitution of Canada except by the unanimous consent of the provinces affected by such change. It was not realized, he added, that the constitution was a sacred pact, and could not be treated as a scrap of paper. He argued that as Canada's population increased, the usefulness of the senate, as at present constituted, would be more and more justified. Senator Turgeon could see no force in the argument that the abolition of the senate would make for economy. He thought the abolition of the senate would be followed by dissolution of confederation.

He was opposed to an elective senate on the ground that it would lose much of the independence obtained for that body under the present system.

Ex-Kaiser Celebrates Hindenburg's Election

Believes It Signifies Restoration Of Hohenzollern Dynasty

Doorn, Holland.—It has been learned that the former kaiser at his chateau here expounded the significance and importance of Hindenburg's election as related to the restoration of the monarchy and the Hohenzollern dynasty. Wilhelm, who seemed in excellent spirits, spoke for about 90 minutes.

The servants were treated to a generous allowance of wine to celebrate the occasion.

In spite of this celebration, it is said by well-informed persons, that Hindenburg's victory is less likely to affect the ex-kaiser, personally, than it is the former crown prince, whose activity and influence in military quarters have been increasing.

Not Being Prosecuted

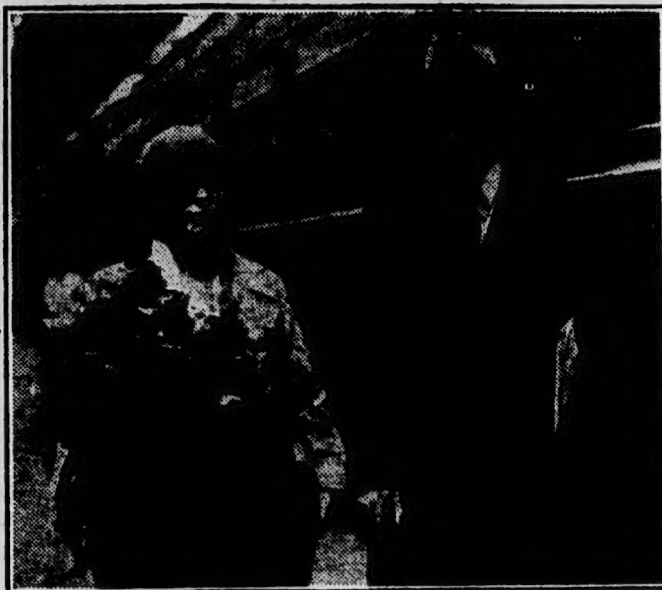
Calgary.—Hon. J. E. Brownlee, attorney-general of Alberta, stated that there would be no prosecution or charge of murder laid against Harold Braun, the Didsbury boy who killed his father recently in an endeavor to save his mother. Mr. Brownlee said since the coroner's jury had returned a verdict of justifiable homicide, there would be no further charge.

Veteran of R.N.W.M.P. Dead

Victoria, B.C.—George I. Service, veteran of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police and one of the second Riel Rebellion, died here at the age of 66. He was with the force from 1876 to 1900, when he retired and came to Victoria. He served in the Yukon with the Klondike detachment during the 1898 gold rush.

Whipping Post For Robbers

Lansing, Mich.—A bill providing a whipping post in Michigan for men convicted of robbery, armed, or murder committed while attempting robbery, armed, was passed by a one vote margin in the Michigan State Senate. The bill excludes women.



Ex-President of Hungary Passes Through Canada

Count Michael Karolyi and Countess Karolyi photographed on the Canadian Pacific Railway Windsor Station, Montreal, enroute to Saint John, whence they sailed for England on S.S. Montclare. They were the centre of a storm in the United States during the past few months, having been prohibited from explaining their political situation in regard to Hungary. While the Count states that he is not Bolshevik in his views, he admitted that he took a wide and progressive outlook in politics. He was pessimistic as to European conditions and feared that the period of wars had by no means come to an end. Exiled from Hungary, he has taken up residence in London, England.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this means of sincerely thanking all those who assisted me in saving so much of my stock at the recent fire and also those who have so kindly volunteered to move the stock into the store formerly occupied by the Post office, opposite Rosebud hotel.

J. V. Berscht.

CARD OF THANKS

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W. G. Liesemer.

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Wed. Night, May 13 Sat. Night, May 16



Jack Holt in Zane Grey's "The Thundering Herd" A Paramount Picture

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AROUND THE TOWN

Principal Peterson of the High School is sick and Mr. W. Mueller is supplying in his place.

Tom Siddon has sold out his barber shop and poolroom to S. McCloy of Trochu. Mr. McCloy took over the business on Monday.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. St. Clair on Thursday, May 14th, at 2.30.

The new town well which is being drilled east of the track is down 240 feet but not enough water has been secured yet.

Rev. H. Clay, of Olds, who conducts services in the English church in Didsbury, is leaving for a visit to the old country. Last week the congregation of St. John's, Olds, presented Mr. Clay with a substantial cheque for \$100 as a small token of the esteem in which he is held by his parishioners.

GOCHIEE—BLAIN

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Presbyterian manse on Wednesday, April 29, when Miss May Georgina Genevieve Blain was united in marriage to Mr. Wendall Stafford Gochiee.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. J. McNutt.

NEW ARRANGEMENT RE ARBOR DAY

Arbor Day will be celebrated this year on Monday, May 11th, which date has been set aside by the Provincial Government. It has been the custom for schools throughout the province to observe this as a general holiday and the schools have been closed. Hon. Perrin Baker, Minister of Education, holds the view that this defeats the objects for which Arbor Day was set aside, namely the planting of trees around the school grounds. While Arbor Day may still be observed as a general holiday among the schools, Mr. Baker has urged that the schools carry on and observe the day for what it was originally intended. He has stipulated that those schools which do this will receive the usual grant for a school day. When the schools close up for this day, as on other holidays, they do not receive the grant.

ALBERTA COAL GOING TO ONTARIO

The initial shipment of 25,000 tons of Alberta coal to Ontario points, under the arrangements arrived at between the Alberta Government, Dominion Government and Canadian National Railways, will be commenced shortly, following the return of Trade Commissioner Howard Stuthebury from the East. An arrangement has been made between the Alberta Government and the C. N. R. whereby the initial shipment of 25,000 tons will be made to prove the freight rate at which the coal can be carried. The Dominion Government has agreed to bear the difference between a \$7 a ton rate and the actual cost of carrying the coal, provided there is a difference. The costs will be checked by an expert in behalf of the Provincial Government and W. P. Hinton, former Vice-President of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway in charge of traffic, will do this work. The C. N. R. has agreed to carry the coal at actual out-of-pocket operating costs. Orders have been received for more than 200,000 tons from Ontario, and if the arrangement works out satisfactorily to all concerned, there will be considerable market for the Alberta product. The trial shipment will include coal from Drumheller, Clover Bar, Pembina, Wabamun, Three Hills, Saunders Creek.

ADVANTAGES GREATER IN WESTERN CANADA

Comparative figures show that 38 per cent. of the farms occupied in the United States are farmed

by tenants, and only 8 per cent. rented in Canada.

The Canadian advantage is much more striking when the three prairie provinces, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the largest grain growing area in the world, where yet there are millions of acres awaiting settlement, are compared with those sections of the United States of similar general conditions and production. The average price of occupied farm lands in Manitoba, including both improved and unimproved, together with dwelling house and buildings, is \$28, in Saskatchewan and Alberta \$24. Against these prices are the following comparative figures per acre in various states, according to the last United States census of Agriculture.

Ohio \$113.18
Indiana 125.98

Illinois	187.59
Michigan	75.48
Wisconsin	98.78
Minnesota	109.23
Iowa	227.09
Missouri	88.08
North Dakota	41.10
South Dakota	71.40
Nebraska	87.91
Kansas	62.30
Montana	22.15
Idaho	69.43
Colorado	25.40
Utah	45.26
Nevada	28.11

According to findings of the States Tariff Commission in 1923, the Canadian farmers can produce a bushel of wheat for 46 cents less than the American farmer, principally because Canadian wheat lands are cheaper, the average yield per acre higher and cost of transportation to markets lower.

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